ful Debate-The Universal Melody With a Chance Life Will Bloom Everywhere-Modern Skepticism.,

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as squandered human souls without compunction; it has plundered in every avenue, and, it has gone so far as to dare the law of the land. Its tentacles have pierced all channels. Its venom has poisoned on all sides, and the lamentations that it has caused are positively. We must deny or affirm. There are no other ways open to us, and so far as we know, never will be. The world and all its possibilities seem to come to an end at these points, as if there was no room for another one. These are the only methods which have been appointed to us and one or the other must be adopted. There is no middle path, and the person that tries to persuade himself of anything else, is deemed to find himself at the end of the day sorely chagrined. This is true in every channel—social, political, religious. In the last analysis life is definite, and its principles are so steadfast as the laws of nature.

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In a certain city a very interesting and beneficial public debate took place between two men of learning. Both had agreed to debate the subject, "How to Purify the Atmosphere of our City," for the good of all concerned. It was a great discussion, land.

Common Pleas Court

Henry Riticher vs Tillie Riticher, action for divorce and custody of children.

Cyrus Johnston vs John Merwin and others, action to quiet title to land. "How to Purify the Atmosphere of our City." for the good of all concerned. It was a great discussion, and, indeed, it could not be otherwise; because the debaters were able and sincere. The truth had a free course with the two. The schemes of jugglery were not used in any manner, and the audience was appreciative as well as knowing the purpose of the argument. Both men threw their very souls into the work, and the effect was wide, deep and wholesome. The one who had taken the negative side of the question maintained stoutly that is order to purify their surroundings it was essential to destroy by some force or other everything that worked against their welfare, and the one who had the positive side in his care maintained fully as emphatic that while the negative method had to be used occasionally, or under certain conditions, nevertheless, it was very far below the standard and the aim of that mode of life which the Perfect Man had lived, as well as not being able to plerce the seat of the evil. He compared the negative argument to covering a sore with sound skin, which at length, would show that this did not cure the sore. Attention had been given to the word, and the only way this could be done was by bringing to bear upon the life of the city an overwhelming amount of virtue. This was positive treatment, and no man could gainsay it worth, because goodness was even more contagious and powerful than vice. The negative treatment was only good for a season at best. It was a make-shift.

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There were no judges to offer their judgment at the end of this able and searching debate, nevertheless, a judgment was given—every member of the vast audience judging for himself. No audience of people was ever conducted to a richer field of thought, and today, this beautiful city has every facility to develop its four thousand souls along the lines of the best that has ever been said and done. The growth that goes from glory to glory has been started, and that without war and commotion. The evil practices have been displaced by uplifting practices, and some, which were considered evil, have been regenerated by being handled by cleaner hands. New life has been poured into their voins. The light has been brought to bear on the darkness. The low places have been elevated, and that all meet on the same platform. The classes have been elevated, and that all meet on the same platform. The classes have been eliminated. Every man, woman and child has been convinced of the value of friendship and co-operation, and the results are that every man, woman and child are honored and encircled by the fruit of love. They have created the kind of atmosphere which they wanted. The rich and the poor, the master and the laborar, the educated and the ignorant have become fixed in one purpose.

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Samuel S. Richer and wife to Derome Bundy, 80 acres, section 21, Clinton township, \$2500.

Samuel S. Ric

ignorant, have become fixed in one purpose.

Life is a politive power, and all it needs to make itself manifest is simply a chance. Give it a chance and it will illuminate every dark nook of the universe. It will bloom in the midst of us like the Rose of Sharon, for its vital impulse is sympathy. This is the core of its heart and its mantle is large enough for the whole race. It knows no classes. It covers the human family. Its delicht is with the children of men, and it will not cease to knock at the doors of their hearts. It will continue to knock until they have responded because it cannot be satisfied with an iota less. The noresion we make upon the moral consciousness of our fellows is the test of the power of our lives. The success of any ethical force relies on living, on causing every heart to respond to it. Sympathy is the universal melody and all the nations of the world knows it whether they can speak our language or not. The

medium of speech is no hinderance to it, for it is so suitable to the cravings of the human heart. It goes underneath the vexations and troubles, relieving all distresses, and assuaring all sorrows. When the English minstrel went to seek for his master of the Lion Heart, he played everywhere the monarch's tune, and was at length rewarded by hearing its notes sent feebly back to him from the prison wherein Richard was confined. In like manner, if we should send forth the nanner, if we should send forth the having Fulton county maintain a visitmusic of the sympathetic chords of ing nurse and expresses the hope our hearts, we would find others always ready to respond to our songs, til the people of his home county and our joy would be complete.

Probate Court.
Estate of James B. Ruple, final account confirmed. Administrator discount

## BOOSTER'S CLUB ENTHUSIASTIC

Important Questions Discussed, and Definite Action Taken—Appropriation of \$25.00 Made for Grain Show—Council Asked to Adopt Sanitary Code Committee On Rating System Appointed—

merchants and professional men; af-

The club also furnishes a clearing house for the ideas, wishes, complaints and contentions in regard to public and business affairs as well as for plans and ideas in regard to matters of common interest. It is by such a medium, where there can be a free expression of varying opinions and a community of ideas that the best things and the highest standards may be worked out. Be a booster, life is too short to be spent growland, kicking or knocking; use your hammer to drive nails in a new and better structure rather than in trying to smash what some one else is

provement in the matter of attendance and right now is a good time for each member of this club to make memoranda of the fact that the next regular meeting of the club will come on the evening of Monday April the 12th, the second Monday in April.

The meeting of last Monday night was one of the best so far as the matter of getting measures under way for the betterment of Wauseon is concerned that the club has ever held.

There were definite questions up for discussion and definite action taken on them.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read and approved Rease Campbell presented a report of the committee with instructions to incommittee avoid their earliest convenience. The sentiment of the discussions was strongly in favor of a clean and sanitary Wauseon as well a beautiful Wauseon and if the movements started along this line are carried out, was would be proud to own as their "home town". It will certainly be worthy of its slogan "This is Your Town," and the club will have done much in the way of boosting the vollage to a higher standard.

A local credit system was next dissipation of a discussion of a clean and sanitary Wauseon as well a beautiful to smake what some one else is trying to build.

JAKE ABROAD.

Chariton, Iowa.

To every body to let them know that the fair west on the L. S. & M. S. R. E. to Chicago the C. B. & U. to Denver and to the big fair this is one of the beat of the club will have a committee with instructions to incommittee w the best R. R. in the west it is snowing for 3 days and the R. R. Trains are delayed 2 to 10 hr all R R i came of Chariton, Iowa, Mar 3 and will stay for the sunday on account of the snow and the dark days or i will not see the high rocey mountains if it is snowing so fast that it is imposibel to see 10 rods at times as i have a field glass for 100 miles to look ad see it like if i could reach it if a fine girl is the still a friend when prosperity goes.

Give me the friend when prosperity goes.

All the faults and omissions in me Give me the one who "judges not." glass for 100 miles to 100k ad sec is like if i could reach it if a fine girl is 1 mile away it looks as i had her in hy hand but it is not so a bird in the hy hand but it is not so a bird in the Me, when I'm down with a little praise, hand is better than a dozin in the bush, hopping your all well and happy like all ways in the E i think i will be for bread, gone for 3 months if i do not get to lonesome for you and every body els i had fine compeny from Chicago what will be better i do not know but i am

for bread,

Gives to my perishing love instead,
Only a stone in my cup.

B. R. G.

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RGANIZED under the laws of the State of Ohio, March 8, 1915, THE SPENCER, EDGAR, VOLLMER CO., have taken over the entire retailing business formerly conducted by Spencer & Edgar partnership.

The Spencer, Edgar, Vollmer Co., have commenced business with a Capital Stock of \$25,000.00

The Board of Directors consisting of the following members is a convincing proof that the New Institution starts business upon a firm foundation.

Mr. Fitch J. Spencer
Vice President First National Bank, Wauseon, Ohio.

Mr. E. D. Edgar

Former Manager of The Spencer & Edgar partnership, Wauseon, Ohio.

Mr. J. G. Vollmer

Thirty successful years in the Dry Goods business. Reputedly and admittedly the best salesman in the county of Fulton, Wauseon, Ohio.

Miss Grace B. Burr

Expert Accountant and Cashier of the former Spencer & Edgar partnership.

Mr. W. J. Weir

Previously associated with the Weir & Hopkins partnership, Swanton, Ohio.

The wonderful advancements and strides made and attained recently by our Chemists, Scientists, Inventors and Commercial Men are astounding almost beyond description, which opens the book, A New Era. Chemists and Scientists to-day by their progressiveness and intelligence save the human life, where

there used to be certain death. Inventors of this era startle the world. Telephone from the Atlantic to the Pacific. Another wonder of the age.

Again the wild flowers take root, grow, advance, bud forth and blossom, studding the fields with their beauty and fragrance.

Neither is it natural for the human life to stand still.

So it is true with us in the Commercial Field, stepping forward a notch higher, we have formed and achieved this New Corporation which, expressly will be fully equipped to care for all and the many needs of our customers and patronage throughout the entire community.

Further, our object being primarily to strengthen, insure and establish our integrity deep into the hearts of our Countrymen, Fellowcitizenery and Friends.

Hence we humbly but respectfully solicit your patronage both collectively and individually, giving in return for the same at all times—Honest Values, Genuine Service and Certainly Courteous, Congenial and Cordial Treatment.

We Thank You

We desire and strive to satisfy and

please all.

## The Spencer-Edgar-Vollmer Co.

F. J. Spencer, President

DRY GOODS

ter this presentation the club adjourned to the next regular meeting in April.

The Booster's club is a medium through which the business men and citizens of Wauseon may get together and co-operate for the building up of the community in every way; what helps one helps all and the people in these days who hold themselves aloof from co-operation for fear that from it we glean the following Cleve. aloof from co-operation for fear that from it we glean the following Cleve-it will interfere with the attention land market quotations; the reader they wish to give to their personal may make his own comparisons with interests are the people who are bound to fall to the rear in the procession of progress.

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better structure rather than in try-ing to smash what some one else is were 70c per box.

THE FRIEND I NEED. Give me the friend who understands,

hand Shows that he knows.

MARKETS 51 YEARS AGO

Helping me up;

corporations and companies.

One of the important questions every American young man has to answer is in regard to what he shall do with his brains, muscles and time? What work shall he devote himself to? No normal young American, but wants work to do and wants to do work that will bring to him the best returns as well as count for the most in the world of men. Every young man should choose that line of work to which he feels himself best adapted; choose the work that you would like to do, that you think you will find pleasure in doing then fit yourself for that work. It may take years to complete that training, you may have to do ther work, and distasteful work in order to secure that training or before you can find the opportunity to do the work you have trained yourself for do, but persist, sitck to it, don't be above doing any honest work, and when the opportunity to make is, that it is up to who want work, who would be glad for any one of the positions listed below but there are comparatively few who are prepared to take any one of these positions. The point we are trying to make is, that it is up to every young man to prepare himself for some one of these positions for their benefit we will state that the examinations will be held on the dates named in all the principal cities in Ohio; the nearest places where they will be held are Toledo and Lima:

Agriculturist, Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture-existion, Plant Industry, Pennsylvania—\$1800-2400.

March 30.

Specialist in School and Home Gardening, Bureau of Education, Department of Interior, Washington, Departme

Subinspector, Electrical, Office of Inspector of Engineering Material U. S. Navy, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

720. April 14. Teacher, Indian Service—\$540-1000. April 14-15.

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Scientific Assistant in Library
Science—\$840-1000. April 14-15.

Ship Draftsman, Bureau of Construction and Repair, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.—\$3,28-5.04
per day. April 14-15.

Fundamental Facts Presented By The Public Health Exhibit Last Week sary to Carry Out Suggested Plans for Disease Prevention-Why Not a Visiting Nurse for Fulton Coun-

Will Wauseon profit by the lessons taught at the public health exhibit shown in the Court House last week under the local auspices of the Boost-

The speakers sent to Wauseon the Unio State Board of Health, the nurse and the director who accompanied the exhibit and the exhibit itself. sought to drive home a few fundamental facts-facts which are of tremendous interest to our citizens whether we chose to face them or not. Among these were:

That tuberculosis is a preventable lisease; that although it cannot be cured through the expensive "reme-Who with a smile and shake of his dies" which are on the market, it will respond if taken in time by a reput-Shows that he knows,
Every battle we've braved and the cost;
able physician, through rest, fresh air and good food; that it can be stamped out entirely if the community will incost;
Every fight we have founght and lost
Who is still a friend when prosperity
coes.

out entirely if the community
sist that sufferers from the disease
take proper precaution against its
spread, and if the community will systematically eradicate the dirty and

disease-breeding conditions which are responsible for its development. That a public health nurse, retained by some local agency for year-around service, would be a splendid community investment, and is prov-ing so in many small as well as large

cities in the state.

That milk should be carefully protected from dirt, as it is a prolific car-That our water supply should be carefully watched to prevent contam-

ination which means typhoid and

March 30.

Specialist in School and Home Gardening, Bureau of Education, Department of Interior, Washington, D. C.—\$3000. April 6.

Technical Assistant in Pharmacology, Division of Pharmacology, Hygenic Lab., Public Health Service—\$2000. April 6.

Market Assistant—Vegetables and Market Assistant —vegetables —vegetables —vegetables —vegetables —vegetables —vegetables —vegetables —vegetables —vegetab \$2000. April 6.

Market Assistant—Vegetables and Fruits, Office of Markets and Rural Organization, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.—\$1800-2100.

Expert Landscape Architectural Designer, Temporary, Office of Public Buildings and Grounds, Washington, D. C.—\$200 a month. April 6.

Artist Draftsman, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior, Washington, D. C.—\$1200-1440. April 6.

Laboratory Aid in Technical Agriculture, Bureau of Plant Industry, Department of Agriculture—\$600-900—April 7.

As the class emblem is the daffodil, this flower was used with brilliant effect in the decorations, and the same color scheme was carried out in the refreshments, dainty pettifores in daffodil colors, ice cream and mints in orange and yellow being served in

U. S. Navy, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

\$\\_\$4.16 \text{ per day. April 7.}\$
Subinspector, Navy Yard, Washington, D. C.\$\\_\$4.48 \text{ per day. April 7.}\$
Assistant Inspector of Engineering Material, Office of Inspector of Engineering Material, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
\$\\_\$4.48 \text{ per day. April 7.}\$
Landscape Architectural Draftsman, Engineering Department at Large, War Department, Washington, D. C.\$\\_\$90 \text{ a month. April 7.}\$
Grazing Assistant, Forest Service,
\$\\_\$1200. \text{ April 7-8.}\$
Cadet Officer, Lighthouse Service, (Quarters and Subsistence)
\$\\_\$600-\$720. \text{ April 14.}\$

Soldiers of the county to meet with us on that day. All citizens are also cordially invited to come and have the best time of your lives. Good in the county in the refreshments, dainty pettifores in the refreshments, dainty pettifores in daffodil colors, ice cream and mints in orange and yellow being served in the chapel. Fruit punch also was served in the north reception room.

ATTENTION 67TH.

The 21st Anniversary of the Battle of Winchester will be held at Ottokee on Tuesday, March 23rd, 1915. We want all members of the 67th also, all soldiers of the county to meet with us on that day. All citizens are also cordially invited to come and have the best time of your lives. Good cinging speaking and a greed dinner. the best time of your lives. Good singing, speaking and a good dinner. Ottokee Gleaners will furnish the

C. F. Stotzer will sell you a Sears Roebuck buggy for \$8.00 less than their catalog price.

To remove soreness use Hanford's Balsam, applied thoroughly.

I now have my third car load of buggies in my ware rooms. These buggies have been bought for spot cash, and I will positively not be undersold on same line of vehicles.

46-10 C. F. STOTZER.